

POLICIES, GUIDELINES AND PROCEDURES

SUBJECT	N.E.P.N. CODE
BOARD CONFLICT OF INTEREST	BCB

I. POLICY

The Louis Riel School Board (Board) recognizes the position of school trustee as one of responsibility and trust, and believes that individuals holding that position must conduct themselves accordingly.

II. GUIDELINES

- A. Trustees will act at all times in the best interest of the school division, fulfilling their responsibilities and obligations as elected officials in a fashion that inspires the confidence and trust in their integrity, objectivity and impartiality of the school board.
- B. Trustees will abide by the provisions of all federal, provincial, and local legislation, including but not limited to human rights statutes, and [The Public Schools Act](#), as well as school division by-laws and policies.

III. PROCEDURES

A. Definition

A conflict of interest exists when an individual trustee's financial interests, or those of family members or close personal associates, interfere with or compromise the trustee's ability to act in the best interests of the school division and constituents whom it serves. Such conflict can be real, potential, or perceived.

B. Expectations and Process

For the purposes of this policy:

1. Trustees will abide by legislation set out in Sections 36 – 39 of [The Public Schools Act](#).
2. The Board will follow all procedures set out in Sections 36 – 39 of [The Public Schools Act](#).

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